length of residence and public spirit, died, on the 27th, of heart failure, superinduced by old age.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, on the 27th, introduced a bill in congress appropriating \$5,000,000 for a patent of fice in Washington, D. C., to be erected east of the capitol, the site to cost Dr. Henry W. Kendall, a prominent

physician and resident of Quincy, Ill., and vicinity since 1853, died on the 25th, aged 72 years. He was surgeon of the Fiftieth Illinois infantry during the civil war. The Colorado national guard is arm-

state. New rifles have been received from the federal government, and two new regiments are being recruited. Peter Elliott, the Minneapolis (Minn.) crank who was arrested in Washington, D. C., while attempting to force his way into the president's

the insane asylum at St. Peter, Minn T. N. Hooper, president of the Colfax Northern railroad, and formerly superintendent of the Des Moines division of the Great Northern railway, died at Des Moines, Ia., on the 24th, of maiarial fever, aged 36 years.

The White House was put in mourning, on the 24th, on account of the death of the president's uncle, James K. Gracie. It was announced that there would be no social entertainments until the cabinet dinner on De-

Representative Tawney, of Minne sota, introduced in congress, on the 27th, a bill providing a special copyright precedure for the protection of foreign arts and literary exhibits and musical works at the Louisiana Purchase exposition.

Mrs. Averet Mallory Culver, daughter of Senator William A. Clark, of Montana, has been sued for \$500,000 by Mrs. Solon J. Vlasto, of New York city, who alleges that the multimillionaire's daughter alienated her husband's affections.

A northwest storm of great violence The wind reached a velocity of 50 miles an hour and a tremendous sea towed into Cleveland harbor.

Izrael Zangwill, author, and Edith Ayrton, daughter of W. E. Ayrton, jam K. Vanderbilt, Jr., on the 24th, in Sir Mortimer Durand, the new Britpresident of the Institute of Electrical Engineers, were married, on the 26th, at a registry office in the east end of London. Many distinguished novelists and theatrical persons were present.

The funeral of the 28 victims of the holacaust at Lilly, Pa., took place on the 23d. One dozen coffins were used, in some of which the remains of two and three victims were placed. Two of the injured died in the hospital, making a total of 30 as the result of the fire.

Representative Wiley, of New Jersey, introduced a bill in congress, on the 24th, to provide for clean paper money, by repealing the assessment on national banks for returning used currency for redemption and prohibiting the reissue of used currency by the treasury.

At the thirteenth meeting of the Southern Illinois Horticultural society, at Salem, Ill., on the 26th, the following officers were elected: President J. W. Stanton, Ricaview; vice-presi dent. A. V. Schermerhorn, Kinmundy; secretary-treasurer, E. G. Mendenhall

The federal court of Kansas City Mo., on the 23d, appointed E. R. Durham, United States marshal, receiver to adjust the affairs of T. F. B. Sotham, the Hereford breeder of Chillicothe, Mo., who filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving his liabilities as over \$150,000

Representative Hardwick, of Geor gia, introduced a bill in congress, on the 24th, making it a misdemeanor, punishable by a minimum imprisonment of six months and a maximum of five years, to sell or in any way dispose of for gain political influence or to purchase the same.

Gustav Marks, who was arrested for the alleged murder of Detective Quinn on the 21st, confessed to the Chicago police, on the 24th, that he was implicated in the car barn robbery, last August, during the perpetration of which two employes of the railway company were killed.

-James Hiram Wilkinson, said to be the last survivor in the United States of the famous charge of the light brigade at Balaklava, died at his home in Waltham, Mass, on the 23d, aged 84 years. Wilkinson was the possessor of a victorian medal presented to him personally by Queen Victoria.

Oberlin M. Carter, ex-captain of engineers, U. S. A., who has served a three years' sentence within the walls of the United States penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for embezzlement of government funds while to charge of construction work in Savannah harbor, and the man who has without doubt been the most prominent prisoner ever held within any prison in the United States, will be released on

## Tron County Register. TOPICS OF THE DAY.

NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE. FIFTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS. [in Special Session.]

A decision of the New York supreme court, rendered on the 25th, holds that bookmakers are liable for money lost on races by their patrons

Lord Rosebery addressed two large meetings in London, on the 25th, in opposition to the fiscal policy proposed by former Colonial Secretary Chamberlain.

The senate, late on the 23d, agreed to make the Cuban reciprocity bill without amendment, and it was agreed to make the bill the regular order on December 16. Senator Carmack Cream included a resolution instructing the senatory committee on organization, conduct ate committee on organization of afairs of the intensifiance of the legislative department. Witnesses were grained by the committee on military afairs which is investigating the conduct of Gen. Wood while stationed in Cuba. House—But little business was transactional cemetery at Arlington, Va.

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Senate—In the senate, on the 23d, Mr. Cullom, from the committee on foreign characters and two children, who lived at Bismarck, O, were mysteriously poisoned, on the 27th, All are dead.

Albert Briggs, a lawyer known throughout Illinois, died, on the 27th, of heart disease, at his home in European Committee on military and the senate was a committee on military and expenditures of the legislative department. Witnesses were grained by the committee on military and the cuban reciprocity bill with the regular order on December 16.

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by Mr. Cannon, after which the source adjourned.

Sonate—The Panama canal question was again the leading topic under consideration by the senate on the 24th. Mr. Morgan continued his review of the history of the efforts which have been made to secure the isthmian canal. The committee on military affairs again took up the case of Gen. Wood, nominated by the president to be major-soneral, and whose conduct during his administration of affairs in Cuba is being five-stigated. At 4:10 the senate went into executive session, adjourning a few minutes later.... House-finmediately upon convening the house, on the 24th, the question of refusing to concur, in the senate's proposition to adoption in the senate's proposition to adoption of the senate was a constant of the concur, in the senate's proposition to adoption of the senate approach to the constant of the concur, in the senate's proposition to adoption to the concur, in the senate's proposition to adoption to the concur, in the senate's proposition to adoption to the concurrence of the concurrenc

immediately upon convening the house, on the 34th, the question of refusing to concur in the senate's proposition to adjourn before final action had been taken on the Cuban reciprocity bill was discussed. Mr. Payne moved that the house adjourn until the 37th, which was carried, and at 12:46 the house adjourned.

Senate—The senate, on the 35th, completed the appointment of committees for the Fifty-eighth congress, adopted the motion providing for the reconsideration of the vote by which the Newlands joint resolution for the annexation of Cuba was referred to committee, and made the Cuban reciprocity bill the until shad business. When the Cuban reciprocity bill was taken up as unfinished business. When the Cuban reciprocity bill was taken up as unfinished business. Mr. Carmack (Tenn.) took the floor and spote at length in opposition to the measure. He closed with a plea for general tariff revision. When Mr. Carmack concluded, Mr. Newlands, of Nevada, made a defense of his resolution resently introduced for Cuban statehood. Mr. Teller (Col.), in answer to Mr. Newlands, said that while he was not prepared to enter into a debate as to the merits of the resolution, he wanted to protest against the statement that Cuba is in any manner a dependency of this government and declared that such contention would be set down by any international lawyer as the height of absurdity; that the passage of the Platt amendment could not in any way interfere with the sovereignity of Cuba. The senate after a short executive seesion, adjourned until the 37th.

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Senate-Very few members heard the opening prayer in the senate on the 27th. Upon motion of Mr. Allison, it was agreed that when adjournment be taken it be until December 1. The Cuban reciprocity bill was called up by Mr. Cullom, but no one being prepared to speak upon it, the senate at 12:20 closed the doors for the consideration of executive business, and 13 minutes later adjourned... House—The house met on the 27th, and after much discussion, adjourned until December 1. The proceedings were marked by a debate on the motion to adjourn over, during which the minority took the republicans to task for not proceeding to the transaction of business. Mr. Williams (Miss.), the minority leader, protested against the majority were afraid to trust themselves. He said that while the speaker had not been able, as he knew, to name all the committees, yet there were matters which the ways and means committee, already organized, could consider, citing among other things the resolution relative to Canadian recipracity. Assistant Secretary to the President Barnes presented to the house a communication from President Roosevelt on the Panama revolution; and at 1:18 the house adjourned.

### PERSONAL AND GENERAL

John Templeton, of Humboldt, Neb., jumped off a car on the train bound trouble. He was a son of Dean Rich from Kansas City for Chicago, at Chil- mond, who was the close friend and swept over Lake Erie on the 24th, licothe, Mo., on the 24th, and was instantly killed.

Twelve ballots were taken by the Iowa without a choice being made.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Will-Elkhart, a creditor.

Mise Virginia Fair

withdrawn from the Bank of England, on the 24th, for shipment to South America Two distinct shocks of earthquake

were felt in Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 24th. No serious damage was John Allen, who had been sectional

foreman at Astoria III., for 25 years, was struck by a freight train, on the 25th, and was so badly crushed that he died.

Pension Commissioner Ware admitted, on the 25th, that he expected to retire within the next year, and declared he had had enough of political office to last him a lifetime.

St. Louis, Chicago, New York, Pitts burg, Milwaukee, Detroit and San Francisco are candidates for convention city before the national republican committee. It is generally believed that the choice lies between St. Louis and Chicago.

On the 26th, Mrs. Ellen Bailey, o Staunton, Pa., was found guilty of planning the wreck which occurred on the Norfolk & Western railroad at Greenville, Pa., last December. The jury fixed her punishment at ten years in the penitentiary.

The Kratz extradition case was called at Guadalajara, Mexico on the 25th, for preliminary hearing, but, by agreement of counsel, was continued to permit further time for study of the extradition papers and for filing

King Edward, on the 25th, conferred a baronetcy on Lord-Mayor Ritchie in commemoration of his recent entertainment of King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena of Italy at the

Guildhall. Joseph Hayward, the veteran roadmaster of the Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs, and Mrs. Hayward were dangerously injured in a runaway accident, near St. Joseph, Mo., on

the 26th. Judge William M. Farmer made a record in the circuit court, at Pana, Ill., on the 25th by granting ten divorces in ten minutes, all by default. President Roosevelt, on the 25th, set-

tled the republican factional fight for the vacant Kansas federal judgeship by appointing John C. Pollock. C. E. Foley, of Eufauls, I. T., called on the 30th, and transferred from the

on the president, on the 25th, to urge the claims of the Indian territory for u delegate in congress. Frank Clark, alias "Yellow" Clark,

vas hanged at Kahoka, Mo., on the 25th, for assaulting Miss Ollie Hess, near Kahoka, July 25. David Hollister died, on the 25th, at

Maleton, Ia., at the age of 101. He was in good health for 100 years. W. Scott Atkin, of Carbondale, Ill., on the 27th, appointed United States commissioner, in place of Perry L. Claxon, who committed suicide, by Judge J. Otts Humphreys, of the the United States circuit court for southern district of Illinois

John K. Duke, defaulting cashier of the Royal Building & Loan association of Portsmouth, O., was found dead in bed, on the 27th, when the officers went to his home to take him to court to be sentenced. He had shot himself

through the head. The entire family of Frank Miller,

A severe earthquake was felt at

Cairo, Ill., on the 27th. It continued for several minutes, and was more pronounced than either of the shocks that were left on November 4. Cars ran practically on the daily schedule of the Chicago City Railway lines, on the 27th, for the first time

since the beginning of the strike which was settled on the 25th J. H. Barrett, formerly general sup erintendent of the Chicago & Alton railroad, was appointed, on the 27th, general superintendent of the Buffalo Rochester & rittsburg railroad, with headquarters at Buffalo, N. Y., effective December 1.

#### LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Safe blowers raided the department store of Foya & Eckstein, at Savannah, Ga., early on the 29th, dynamited the safe and secured between \$1,700 and \$1,800. The store was situated in the heart of the principal shopping district, and three policemen were within calling distance all night, but the robbery was not discovered until daylight.

Gen. Thomas W. Scott, adjutantgeneral of the state of Illinois, went to Washington, D. C., on the 28th, for the purpose of conferring with the officials regarding the reorganization of the national guard in conformity, with the provisions of the Dick bill. called at the White House, and paid his respects to the president.

The preliminary hearing of Secretary Oscar M. Carpenter and 11 other members of the Telluride (Col.) miaers' union on charges of congregating for the purpose of rioting and conspiracy to break the law was begun in that city, on the 28th, before Justice Kobigson.

James H. Evans, a Canadian county, Okla. farmer, was found, on the 28th, murdered, his body lying between two rows of corn. The murderer shot Evans in the back while the farmer was shucking corn. He then took pains to tie Evans' team to the fence before leaving.

Edward Gould Richmond, one of the outh w leading capitalists and manuacturers, died at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the 28th, as the result of heart conferee of Samuel J. Tilden.

The Elkhart (Ind.) Paper Co., whose personnel is practically that of the was kicked up. The steamer Portage, Iowa delegation in congress, on the flefunct Indiana national bank of Elkwith her machinery disabled, was 24th, to determine the contest for fed- hart, was placed in the hands of a reeral judge for the northern district of teiver, on the 28th, by Judge Ferrall,

New York city. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Ish ambassador to the United States, reignd to this country, on the 28th The sum of £10,000 in gold was and proceeded to Washington, D. C., to present his credentials to the president and formally take charge of the British embassy.

Secretary Hay returned to Washington, D. C., on the 29th, from New York city, where he spent the Thanksgiving season with his daughter, Mrs. Payne Whitney.

Earl Rogers, of Fort Scott, Kas., cidentally shot and killed himself while hunting near Sapulpa, I. T., on the

The youtnful self-confessed murderers and train robbers, Peter Neidermeier, Harvey Van Dine, Gustav Mark and Emil Roeski, were arraigned in court at Chicago, on the 30th. Ma.x plead guilty to all the charges against him, but his three accomplices pleaded not guilty.

The circuit court of Hamilton, O., on the 30th, granted the motion for a stay of execution of the sentence of death passed upon Alfred A. Knapp for the murder of his wife. The execution was set for the 11th, and a stay was granted for 30 days.

Chief Henry J. Eaton, who had been at the head of the Hartford (Conn.) fire department since 1868, was formally retired, on the 30th. Chief Eaton was the oldest fire chief in the country in point of service, having entered the department in April, 1851.

John, William and George Reed, the only sons of Nellie Reed, a widow, broke through the ice on the Blackstone river, at Blackstone, Mass., on the 30th, and were drowned. The boys tried to cross the river to get some fire wood.

Two men were killed and one fatally injured in a collision between an east-bound freight and a work train on the Norfolk & Western road, east of Portsmouth, O., on the 30th. Both engines were demolished. Loss, \$40,-

Alfred Olson, a stamp clerk in the Omaha (Neb.) post office, was arrested, on the 30th, by a United States marshal and charged with embezzling government funds. It was alleged that Olson's shortage would reach \$1,900. Charles Theison, who was arrested for writing rambling letters to Presi-

dent Roosevelt, was declared insane, Bellevue (N. Y.) hospital to the Manhattan state hospital at Islip, L. I. Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia, on the 30th, issued a call for a meeting of the citizens' permanent relief commit-

help from Butler, Pa., where an epidemic of typhoid fever prevails. C. P. L. Butler, a well-known attorney of Columbus, O., committed suicide, on the 30th, by shooting himself

tee, to take action on the appeal for

in the head. His act was attributed to melancholia. Fritz Trapp, an old German farm hand, was found frozen to death, early on the 30th, his body lying in a private road just across the river in Tazewell county, Ill.

# Missouri State Gleanings.

FOUR OVERCOME BY GAS.

Guests of a Kansas City Hotel Are Found Unconscious by the Porter.

Four persons, J. W. Ray, a miner of Acme, Ariz.; a woman, Mrs. A. E. Hamilton, of Chetopa, Kas., and her two children, were overcome by gas in their rooms at the Travelers' hotel, in Kansas City. One child, a boy four years old, is dead. Ray blew out the gas. He was found unconscious in his room, hospital, after being treated at police enjoying venison dinners. No reason headquarters by Dr. West. He is ex-

pected to recover. Mrs. Hamilton and her child, two years of age, who survived the gas, were taken to the city hospital. They are also expected to recover. Shortly before midnight Mrs. Hamilton arrived at the Union depot from Chetopa, and asked one of the porters to show her where she might get a room for 50 cents. The porter took the woman and her children to the Travelers' hotel, across the street from the depot. There she was shown to her room. She did not register.

In the morning one of the porters heard a child crying in the room which the woman occupied. A few minutes later, when the child had not coased its cries the porter broke open the door. The room was filled with gas, which was flowing from an open gas jet. The window and the transom were shut tightly, and the keyhole in the door was filled with paper. The body of the dead child lay on the edge of the bed. Across the body of child lay the woman, who was unconscious. The other child, which had been crying, was only partly overcome by the gas, and lay near its mother.

Shot His Playmate.

Felix Coleman, eight years old, who lived near Rock Bridge, eight miles south of Columbia, died from a gunshot wound inflicted by Bud Howell, 11 years old. The Howell and Coleman boys and two other children were in a house by themselves playing when the shooting occurred. Howell was the oldest of the four, and as the other three were the only witnesses, it was difficult to secure an accurate account of the affair. It is generally understood that the Howell boy took a shotgun from the rack and fired point blank at the Coleman boy. After firing the shot he made no attempt to run away. The coroner held an inquest and returned a verdict that the boy came to his death from a gunshot wound inflicted at the hands of Bud Howell. An attempt will be made to send the boy to a reform school. Several days before the Howell boy went to a neighbor's house, and, securing a gun, fired it at a crowd of children, but without hitting any of thm. He is small for his age and is remarkably bright.

### A Murder Mystery.

The farmers of the western part of of a human skeleton half buried in the didn't whip him, and the sports of are much wrought up over the finding leaves. There were ashes about, as if office and the Methodist church, exwoods under a pile of brush and old an attempt had been made to burn the pecting to see another bout soon. body. Three distinct holes appear in thes kull about the forehead. Doctors who have examined the skull are certain that the holes were made by bullets. There seems little doubt that murder has been uncovered, but all is wrapped in deep mystery. Several persons who have seen the skeleton are of the opinion that it is that of John Gilbert, who disappeared mysteriously two years ago and has not been heard from since. It is known that he had a large sum of money on his person when he dropped out of sight, and that has always caused the belief that

he as robbed and murdered. Acquitted of Leading Mob. Samuel Mitchell, charged with being implicated in the mob that hanged a negro, Thomas Gilyard, in Joplin last spring, was acquitted in the circuit court at Carthage. The jury was out only thirty minutes. Mitchell was tried for the crime last spring, convicted and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary but got a new trial. J. C. Seifried, one of the witnesses for the defense, was arrested for perjury shortly after he had testified in the case. He testified that he was with Mitchell at a paint house south of Joplin at the time of the lynching, and it was his evidence that caused Mitchell's acquittal. He was arrested on information filed by the prosecuting attorney and taken before Judge Perkins, who fixed his bond at \$1,000.

Clarksburg Bank Robbed. Robbers entered the Citizen's bank at Clarksburg and blew open the vault and safe, securing about \$2,000. Nitroglycerin was used, and the safe was completely demolished. It is supposed that three men did the job, and a reward of \$1,000 each is offered for

the apprehension of the robbers. Beautiful Autumn. The dry weather has made the autumn season a most pleasant one. There has been no mud, but the roads

have been quite dusty, one drawback. Accidentally Shot. While hunting rabbits with a party of friends, Charles Gudgell, of Independence, was accidentally shot in the leg and seriously wounded.

Encouraging Reports. Reports from the country are enouraging. The farmers say the outlook for a good wheat crop next year is exceptionally good. Killed by a Street Car.

at Kirksville.

Miss Juliette A. Shearman was struck by a street car in Kansas City and killed. The body was horribly crushed and mangled. Succumbed to Heart Failure. John Greenough, a well-known busi-

ess man, and prominent in Masonic circles, died of heart failure at his home in St. Louis. Y. M. C. A. Convention. The twenty-seventh annual state convention of the Y. M. C. A. was hald

Thirty Deer Slaughtered. Thirty deer, belonging to Judge Henry D. Laughlin, were slaughtered on his farm in St. Louis county, and the annual Thanksgiving deer chase aid not take place. The kinng was done by Clarence Campbell, foreman of the farm, under the judge's orders. It is said that the magnificent game preserves will also be destroyed and the land used for other purposes. The dead animals were drawn and quartered and distributed to the neighbors on the Lackland road, where the farm is situated, and they have since been was assigned for the action. Among the judge's friends general regret was expressed over his action, as the

Laughlin deer and game preserves were

the most famous around St. Louis.

There had been a deer chase from the

farm every Thanksgiving for years.

They were participated in by some of

the leading society persons of St. Louis Kills Alaska Homing Pigeon. While out hunting, Will Johnston, or Columbia, saw a strange bird overhead, flying as straight as an arrow toward the southeast. He fired, and a beautiful homing pigeon of unusual size and of peculiar bluish color fell to his feet. Around the neck of the bird was a silver band, on which was engraved these words: "For you alone, H. L. E., 12, Fort Selkirk, 1903." bird was evidently from the Klondike regions. It was of such unusual size that the bird authorities at Missouri university could not at first classify it, but reference to books clearly identified it as a carrier pigeon of the larger variety. The pigeon was perhaps highly valued, as the silver band was evidently manufactured and engraved for the purpose.

Resulted in Mistrial. The Mills murder case resulted in a mistrial, at Jefferson City, and the jury was discharged. An important witness was a negro boy, a deaf mute, who can neither read nor write. A white mute, James Jarrett, was called in as an interpreter, and when the mute witness was placed on the stand the attorneys submitted their questions to Jarrett in writing. By the sign language he conveyed them to the witness, and in the same way received the replies. These were written out for the attorneys. No such manner of examining a witness has ever before occurred at Jefferson City.

Missouri Beef For London. Roasts from Missouri steers will form an important part of the Christmas dinner of many Londoners. Three hundred and seventy-five head of fat cattle were recently shipped from Centralia. The cattle were shipped to Boston, where a prominent dealer bought them for the London Christmas trade. Starr Bros. received five cents a pound.

### Who Whipped?

W. L. Bales, editor of the Hardin News, who had a little set-to with a Methodist preached named Davis, states Howell county, near the Douglas line, emphatically that he was not whipped. The preacher says that Editor Bales Hardin are hanging around the News University Hall of Fame.

The corridor of the law building or nade a hall of fame, containing lifesized portraits of the leading English and American jurists. Among those already secured are: Lord Thurlow, Lord Coke and Lord Candon, of English fame; Story, Marshall, Kent, Shaw and Cooley, of America. All the Dog's Fault.

Because two women named Toda owned a dog that barked at teams in Nevada, they are being sued for \$10,-000 by Mrs. Esta Strong Mrs. Strong alleges that the dog frightened her husband's horses and caused him to be thrown from his wagon and killed. Strong was killed a few weeks ago near Richards.

Two Hurt by Same Machine. Luther Long almost lost a hand while feeding a corn shredder at West His right hand was almost ground off in the machine. Several hours later George Smith, while feeding the same machine, got his hand cought, and it was mangled so badly that amputation was necessary.

Leaped From Train in Sleep. A few days ago an unidentified man jumped through the vestibule door of Frisco train near West Plains. He wandered to the home of a farmer and said he made the leap in his sleep, being a somnambulist. He gave his name as G. F. Hodley, of Lenoir, N. C. His injuries are slight.

Fifty Dollars for Pumpkin Seeds. A Platte county farmer, who raised ,000 pumpkins on one acre, split them all open and extracted the seeds, which he sold for \$50. The pumpkins were fed to the hogs.

Bond Issue Defented. The proposition to issue \$100,000 in bonds for the municipal ownership of a water and light plant was defeated by an overwhelming vote at Columbia.

Death of Samuel P. Huston. Samuel P. Huston, former city counselor, and for many years attorney for the Burlington, died at St. Joseph at the age of 62 years.

A German Exhibit. Germany will reproduce the castle of Charlottenburg at the St. Louis World's fair. Emperor William prepared the plans.

Soldier Finds Dead Body.

The body of an unidentified man, about 35 years old, was found near Jefferson barracks, in St. Louis county, by a soldier. A Statue of Vulcan

A statue of Vulcan will be at the World's fair. The statue will be of coal, iron and coke, and will be fifty feet in height.

Felt an Earthquake Shock. A distinct and prolonged earthquake shock was felt by the citizens of Fred-

President Will Withdraw Promotion If Charges Are Proved True.

Situation Has Become Such That

Both Can Not With Honor Remain in the Service.

Washington, Nov. 30.-President Roosevelt said Saturday that if it could be proved that Gen. Wood had inspired the article written by Maj. James E. Runcie, criticising Gen. Brooke, the nomination of Gen. Wood for promotion to be major-general would be withdrawn.

Gen. Wood, in his detailed defense of himself, filed with the war department, denied that he suggested that the article be written or that he knew anything about it until his attention was called to the publication, and declared that he was so shocked and surprised that he did not at first believe that his friend Runcie had written it. but thought his name had been wrong fully used in connection with the ar-

In his testimony before the senate committee on military affairs, Maj. Runcie declared on oath that the article in question was planned at a dinner in Santiago at which Gen. Wood, Ray Stannard Baker and himself were present; that Gen. Wood asked him to write the article, and he had done so. Ray Stannard Baker, the third per-

son at the dinner, has been subpoenaed, and Maj.-Gen. Brooke has been called to substantiate or disprove some of the statements in the article. Upon Baker's testimony will depend whether Gen. Wood or Maj Runcie,

grace. The situation has become such that it is believed that both can not with honor remain in the service. Maj. Runcie, although on the retired list, is still amenable to military regulations, and can be court-martialed. Friends of each are wondering which

retired, shall leave the army in dis-

### one will be punished. LIVE STOCK EXPOSITION.

Chicago Opens Big Show, Which Attracts Many Cattle Dealers From All Over the World.

Chicago, Nov. 30 .- A record-breaking display of cattle, sheep and horses every evening as a sideshow will make the International Live Stock exposttion, which opened Saturday at the Union stock yards, continuning until December 5, an event to be remembered by cattle dealers all over the world. All the available space in the 65 acres of Dexter park, including the pavilion and a mammoth tent, 450 by 200 feet in dimensions will be utilized to provide accommodations for the

11,000 entries. Cresceus the trotting king, and Dan Patch, the champion pacer, are on exhibition, with about 400 other horses. A feature will be the reproduction of Rosa Banheur's famous picture, "The Horse Fair," with which the exhibition will open every evening.

### MURDERED FOR FIVE CENTS.

Proprietor of a Chicago Restaurant Kills Customer Because He Was Five Cents Short.

Chicago, Nov. 30 .- Because he was short five cents in settling for his breakfast, Marcus Sheehan, a guard on the South Side elevated road, was shot and killed early Sunday by James Berthe University of Missouri is to be ganus, proprietor of a State street restaurant. Having but 15 cents in his ger, under sentence to be hanged at pocket, Sheehan ordered a meal, which he thought called for that amount of moncy. When he came to pay for the meal, however, he was told by Berganus that he owed 20 cents.

"That is all the money I have," said Sheehan. "I'll give you the other nickel this afternoon."

"You'll pay me now or you will never leave this house," said Berganus. Sheehan laughed and turned toward the door, but before he could reach it Berganus drew a revolver and without a word of warning fired. Sheehan was shot in the head and instantly

Throwing Sheehan's body out upon the sidewalk. Berganus locked up the place and fled. He is still at large

### CLOSE UPON STRUBE'STRACK. Man Who Sold Murder Suspect's Buggy at Edina, Mo., Traced

to Fort Madison, In.

Havana, Ill., Nov. 30 .- Frank Strube who is charged with the murder of Alice Henninger, is slowly but steadily

being tracked. Sheriff Brooker received word last night from Edina, Mo., that the buggy, which was sold by the young man, now supposed to be Strube, to John Daley, an Edina liveryman for \$50, has blood stains on the cushions of the seat and inside of the box,, the

curtains and on the foot railing. It has also been ascertained that the man who sold the buggy purchased a ticket for Fort Madison, Ia., at Burkland, a station on the Sante Fe road, and Sheriff Brooker has gone to Fort Madison.

### BIG COAL LAND DEAL MADE.

The Pennsylvania-Indiana Coal Co. Has Concluded the Largest Deal Ever Made in Indiana.

Terre Haute, Ind., Nov. 30.-The Pennsylvania-Indiana Coal Co., composed of Washington (Pa.) capitalists, and incorporated in West Virginia, with \$500,000 capital stock, has concluded a deal for \$100,000 worth of coal land in Greene county. It was a cash transaction, and the largest ever made in the state in one deal for coal land

#### TRAIN CREW UNDER ARREST Jury Recommends That Conductor and Engineer of Wrecked Train Be Held Without Bond.

Urbana, Ill., Nov. 30.-Engineer George Decker, held responsible by the coroner's jury for the recent wreck near Tremont on the Big Four, in which 16 persons were killed, was arrested here Saturday by Sheriff Clay of Cazewell county. Conductor Hastings, of Indianapolis, who was in charge of the train, was arrested on the same charge

## GEN. WOODOR MAJOR RUNCIE CHICAGO ROBBERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Removed From Police Station to County Jail For Safe Keeping.

PLEADED GUILTY

Van Dine and Neidermeler Say They Will Hang Without Winking an Eye If They See Marx Share Same Fate.

Chicago, Dec. 1.-The youthful selfconfessed murderers and train robbers, Peter Neidermeier, Harvey Van Dine, Gustav Marx and Emil Roeski, were arraigned in court Monday night, Marx pleading guilty to all the charges against him, but his three accomplices pleaded not guilty.

During the afternoon the prisoners were removed from the Harrison street police station to the county jail, where they will remain until brought to trial.

No excitement marked the trip to the jail. Each prisoner was placed in a separate patrol wagon and was guarded by seven policemen and two deputy sheriffs. During the journey Roeski joked with one of the policemen and sarcastically said:

"I would like to have you alone for

just one minute. Shortly before the prisoners were removed to the county jail Marx was confronted with his three accomplices. Marx's confession implicating Van Dine, Neidermeier and Roeski was read to the prisoners. The bandits arrested in Indiana refused to confirm or deny the contents of the message. They were asked to tell whatever more they had to say concerning their career.

When Thieves Fall Out. "I am willing to hang without the wink of an eye if I see Marx, the squealer, hang first," Van Dine said. "The same here," Neidermeier add-

"You fellows got no more than you deserved," Marx said.

"Some time ago," Marx said to the inspector of police, "I met the bunch in Orleans street, where we intended to rob the American Express wagon, and I forgot my large gun. This angered the boys, and they told me to leave them. I walked away, and when 50 feet away a bullet passed through the brim of my hat. It was fired by one of these fellows. I got revenge." Neidermeier admitted to the police

that he and Van Dine had made an

attempt to kill Marx. Roeski also

said that he had narrowly escaped murder at the hands of his accom-Mayor Issues Order. Mayor Harrison has ordered the police to arrest every person caught loafing without visible means of support, and the police magistrates have orders where such a vagrant is taken up and a weapon is found in his possession to fine him to the limit allow-

mayor to Issue the order. OWNS TO EIGHTEEN MURDERS.

able. A desire to clear the city of

undesirable men whose idleness may

lead them into crime has caused the

Startling Confession of Charles Kruger, Slayer of Two Policemen. Chicago, Dec. 1 .- A copy of a start ling confession made by Charles Kru-Greensburg, Pa., has been re Chief of Police O'Nell. If Kruger's statements are true, he is an even more reckless desperado and has less

regard for human life than had any of the Chicago car barn murderers. Kruger confesses to 18 murders in the east and middle west, including the murder here a year ago of Policemen Pennell and Devine, who were shot and killed while attempting to arrest a burglar. Numerous suspects had been arrested for the Pennell-Devine murders, but not until Kruger's confession had he been in any manner connected with the crimes by the local police. Kruger's statements are so substantial that Chief O'Neill be-

### lieves he is telling the truth. BARRETT SENTENCE DELAYED

Action Deferred to Awnit Result of District Attorney Dyers' Investigation.

St. Louis, Dec. 1.-Thomas E. Barrett, who was convicted with John P. Dolan and Police Officer Frank Garrett of naturalization frauds, was not sentenced in the United States district court Monday, as was predicted. United States District Attorney D.

P. Dyer, when Barrett was called, said that he would ask for the postponement of the sentence until he could examine the ten or more other indictments against Barrett and ascertain whether or not he should be again placed on trial.

Judge Adams consented to the continuance and ordered that Barrett report in court daily.

## GLITTERING TRIFLES.

A man's watch fob of brown suede has richly enameled charm hanging from A topaz set in a copper ring is among

the unique and artistic bits of desirable Little silver watches are set in little silver footballs, while others are set

in tennis rackets.

Fresh-water pearls combine well with copper settings and are shown in several artistic stickpins. A beautiful pearl butterfly brooch is

made more attractive by the addition of emeralds and rubies. A brooch is in the form of a small turtle, the back being set with pearls, among

which is seen an occasional ruby.

An odd brooch is in the shape of a pea cock feather and is in silver, the rich eye" of the feather being in enamel.

Unique and charming are the silver golf bracelets. They represent a silver golf stick which winds around the arm, the clasp being hidden under the heavy end of the stick.